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Your thoughts: how best to approach this?

--Mick

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Hi –

In terms of a radio interview, I'm looking for someone who can speak broadly about the way EPA envisions its relationship with state environmental protection departments – is it more of an overseer or collaborator? I'd also like to ask about how EPA would describe its relationship with PA's DEP right now – constructive? Tense?

I'm also looking for explanations on why EPA took the following steps:

- What led EPA to begin reviewing PA's mining-related NPDES permits in 2010?
- why did EPA deliver water to Dimock residents and conduct further tests?

I don't need those last two on tape. I'm fine if you can point me to already-released information on these two incidents, or link me up with the right EPA person.

Thanks,

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